



THE WEATHER

For tonight and Friday: light southerly winds. High 64, low 48, wind 7-20; rain now 2.14 a. m. to 10 p. m. Temperature 101 F. at 10 a. m. Minimum 72 at 12 m. Maximum 80 at 5 p. m. Average 66.6. Temperature at 1 p. m. 71.

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WHITNEY GETS ANOTHER CHANCE

Jury Disagrees in Whitney Will Case

AMERICAN REPELS NOT AN ULTIMATUM

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14 SAVED, 2 BURIED IN BROCKTON

BROCKTON, June 10.—Twenty men were badly burned and fourteen old men were carried down ladders to safety when the Salvation Army's "Industrial Home" at No. 55 Crescent street burned to the ground at dawn today.

Superintendent James Fales and Arthur Keaton, sleeping on the second floor, had to crawl to safety through the kitchen where the fire started, and were burned about the face, head, hands and feet. They were taken to the Brockton Hospital.

The fourteen men rescued, all over fifty, were sleeping on the second floor. Heavy work was necessary to bring them to safety. Sergeant Daniel T. Gierke of the police made four trips into the burning building and carried out four men himself.

Kids and matches are blamed for the fire. Captain S. J. Wilber of the army police the loss at 11:50 p. m. The house was a two-story wooden building, without fire escapes.

Cushings Both Held in Lynn Death Case

Mr. and Mrs. Melvin H. Cushings, charged with manslaughter in causing the death of George Brown, waived examination today before Judge Lammus in the Lynn court. Cushings was held in \$10,000 and his wife Edna, Edna W. McPherson, fifteen-year-old son of Mrs. Cushings by her first husband, was held in \$10,000 as a witness. Deputy Chief of Police David G. Bartlett furnished surety for the boy. Brown was found dead in bed at No. 109 Washington street, Lynn, Tuesday. There was a wound in his head.

Milk and Vinegar Dealers Are Fined

In the East Boston court today Judge James disposed of a batch of milk and vinegar complaints made by Dr. James O. Jordan, chief of the city milk inspection department. East Boston was fined \$10 for having milk below standard; Grueszina, Carol, Webster street, East Boston, fined \$10 for milk below standard; Allen Bros., Tremont street, Roxbury, charged with having milk below standard, continued till June 13; Fernando Santoro, Webster street, charged with having milk below standard, continued till June 13; Gabriel Albrozzio, Lexington street, charged with having milk below standard, fined \$10.

Chicago Carmen to Strike Saturday

CHICAGO, June 10.—A strike of 11,000 street car conductors and motormen employed by the Chicago surface lines will go into effect at 4 o'clock Saturday morning, unless some unforeseen action is taken by the company or officers of the men's union. This announcement was made without qualification today by the Chicago local of the street car employees' union.

"Some Fighting" Says Willard

When John L. Sullivan whipped the then title champion, Paddy Ryan, in 1882, it took only eleven minutes to do it.

Jess Willard, the new champion, says, however, that there was enough fighting in that time to make twenty fights to say.

In the fourth chapter of his autobiography in the American tomorrow Willard shows why boxing is it is conducted today is more useful than the knockdown and drag out methods of thirty years ago.

He says the "BESS" he wants to fight.

Germans Sink Liner Seized by British

LONDON, June 10.—The steamship Erna Holt has been sunk in the North Sea by a German submarine. Her crew was landed at Harwich today.

The Erna Holt is listed in Lloyd's Register as a vessel of German nationality. She is a ship of 1,211 tons. It is likely that this was one of the German merchant ships seized by the British at the outbreak of the war and is now being used by them under her old name.

Canada to Send 35,000 More Men

NAGARIA FALLS, Ont., June 9.—The departure of soldiers sent out information today that an additional 35,000 Canadian soldiers are to be sent to France at once, including 27 regiments of infantry and six battalions of artillery. This will give the Dominion a total fighting force of 120,000 men. Recruiting opened briskly this morning.

Five Drown as Auto Plunges Into River

OUTLOOK, Natick, June 10.—The bodies of J. P. Thompson, his wife, Mrs. Herbert Coleman of Taunton, Mrs. Thompson's sister, and the two Thompson children, aged eight and nine years, were recovered today from the Natick town river. The five were drowned last night when Thompson drove his automobile into the river.

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DENIES U.S. GOVERNOR CLAIM ON WILL HEAR THE FRYE

By International News Service. WASHINGTON, June 10.—Germany, in its second reply to American demands in connection with the sinking of the American sailing ship William P. Frye, received at the State Department today, denies that destruction of the Frye constitutes a violation of the treaties between the United States and Prussia, and insists that the case goes to a prize court.

The United States proposed that the matter should be settled by diplomatic negotiations and not by a prize court. The German Foreign Office, however, promises to pay proper indemnity. The text of the German reply follows:

The German government does not admit that, as the American government assumes, the destruction of the sailing vessel mentioned constitutes a violation of the treaties concluded between Prussia and the United States at an earlier date and now applicable to the relations between the German empire and the United States or of the American right derived therefrom. For this reason it does not have the intention of depriving one of the contracting parties engaged in war of the right of stopping the supply of contraband to his enemy when he renounces the supply, a right which is fundamental to his military interest.

On the contrary, Article 11 of the Prussian-American treaty of July 11, 1874, expressly reserves to the party at war the right to stop the carrying of contraband and to detain the contraband, a right which it is entitled to exercise in the case of the destruction of the contraband and of the ship carrying it.

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Vanderbilt's Body Not Found; Mistake in Identification

LONDON, June 10.—The representative in London of the Vanderbilt family declared this afternoon that he had received word from Quenston that a mistake had been made in the identification of a body washed ashore on the coast of County Clare, Ireland, which was supposed to be that of Alfred Guyenne Vanderbilt, who lost his life when the Lusitania was sunk on May 7.

No exchange newspaper carries any report that the body of the Vanderbilt family had been washed ashore at County Clare, Ireland, which was supposed to be that of Alfred Guyenne Vanderbilt, who lost his life when the Lusitania was sunk on May 7.

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BRYAN TO SPEAK AGAINST WILSON

WASHINGTON, June 10.—(Bulletin)—The United States note to Germany is not an ultimatum, it was said at the State Department this afternoon. The note gives Germany ample opportunity for discussion in reply, and, therefore, it was said that the American note fell far short of a document which could be considered as meaning war.

By JUSTIN MCGRAW. Special Correspondent of the International News Service.

WASHINGTON, June 10.—The new Wilson note to Germany, couched in much more friendly language than the first, will reach Berlin today.

It became known today that ex-Secretary of State Bryan will make a speech making four to prove that he is right and the President wrong on the two points on which they differed regarding the language of this document and which led to Mr. Bryan's resignation.

In the statement which Mr. Bryan issued explaining the differences between him and the President, which led to his resignation, he made both at the beginning and the end of it friendly and complimentary allusions to the President.

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Mrs. MacLeod Bride of W. W. Atterbury

PHILADELPHIA, June 10.—Mrs. Anna MacLeod, widow of the late Mr. MacLeod, died at her home at 1000 Locust street, Philadelphia, this afternoon at 10 o'clock.

She was married to Mr. W. W. Atterbury, who was president of the city of Philadelphia, in 1910.

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Jess Willard's \$26,000 Life Story; Don't Miss Opening Chapters; See Page 13

MONFALCONE IS TAKEN BY ITALY

Special Correspondent of the International News Service.

ROME, June 19.—The Italian army, maneuvering to attack Trest from the northeast, has defeated an Austrian column near Cortina d'Ampezzo and is now nearing the Austrian mountain fortress defending Palmarigo Pass east of Cortina. The Austrian position at Preiskopel has been taken and an Austrian gun and some

The following official statement relative to the operations of the Italian armies of invasion was issued:

FIGHTING ALONG THE ISONZO.
 "Our troops nearing Falmargo Pass in a favorable engagement ten kilometers distance from Cortina d'Ampezzo, captured a gun and ammunition from the Austrians at Trekkop. The Austrian position at that point was seized on Tuesday night and a

"Along the Isarco front fighting continues, our batteries shelling it positions which the Austrians still retain around Monte Nero. We have taken an important position the which the enemy evacuated. T

Austrians left 100 dead behind and sixty wounded. Near Caperetto six Austrians deserted their army and came into our camp. The Austrian losses have been heavy.

"The enemy has been offering a stinate resistance, being favored by conditions of ground which make it difficult to penetrate the line owing to broken bridges and bad roads resulting from extensive

their valor being retarded by the character of important positions.

TAKE IMPORTANT HEIGHTS.

"We have captured Monfalcone. In the mountainous region Monte Nero (west and northwest Tolmein) we took an important help after the enemy had been driven by our fire. At other points along the Isonzo valley we took more than 100 prisoners."

The main Austrian army is now only sixteen miles from Trieste.

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**SAYS TOBACCO IS
NEXT FOR ATTACK**

CINCINNATI, June 26.—The assurance that the tobacco industry is actively engaged in howling against the liquor interests against the advantages of prohibition, in the light of the tobacco life-insurance, was made at the second New York session of the Annual Conference of the Wisconsin Liquor Control Association in a Lewiston, Me., article, at New York.

"Nation-wide prohibition," said Mr. Kendrick, "will mean the end of tobacco deaths next in importance to the cigarettes."

The Agony of Skin Troubles:
No longer can tell the amount of agony endured by people suffering from skin troubles. More and more have said they would give any amount

of money to be free from the lease-
hold and ingenuitous pretensions of their
skin. Some of these people have
spent many dollars on medicines, untimely
etc., in vain seeking a cure
from the physicians here. I have

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and fabrics to match the
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\$6.98, \$9.90, \$12.98

LADIES' SUITS
Total suits in polyester, rayon, wool and
cotton. 2-piece suits with skirt and jacket
or pants. \$120.00 to \$150.00. \$120.00 to
\$150.00.

\$4.98, \$18.50, \$22.98

LADIES' DRESSES
Total dresses in polyester, rayon, wool, cotton,
silk and linen. 1-piece dresses. \$120.00 to
\$150.00. \$120.00 to \$150.00. \$120.00 to
\$150.00.

\$5.98, \$9.90, \$18.98

LADIES' COATS
Total coats in fur, leather and rayon. 1-piece
coats. \$120.00 to \$150.00. \$120.00 to
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\$9.98, \$12.50, \$16.98

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and Child—OPEN EVENINGS

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DIVORCE GRANTED MRS. BATES

After a divorce by the Superior Court of the Commonwealth, Mrs. Bates, formerly of Boston, has been granted a divorce from her husband, Mr. Bates, by Judge James M. Sullivan, of the Superior Court of the Commonwealth, at Boston, June 9.

AT HEAD OF TABLE. Mrs. Bates, at the head of the table, with her husband, Mr. Bates, and her place at the head of the table, was taken by Judge James M. Sullivan, of the Superior Court of the Commonwealth, at Boston, June 9.

THIS BABY WAS DEAD. At the time of the birth, the child was dead, and the mother, Mrs. Bates, was found to be in a state of collapse, and the child was found to be dead.

Chicago Women Plan Campaign Against Rats

Chicago women are planning a campaign against rats, and the plan is to have a rat extermination day, and the plan is to have a rat extermination day, and the plan is to have a rat extermination day.

CRIPPLES HAPPY AFTER DAY'S TRIP

Cripples are happy after a day's trip, and the trip was a very successful one, and the trip was a very successful one, and the trip was a very successful one.

NEW HAVEN READY FOR ARBITRATION

New Haven is ready for arbitration, and the arbitration is a very successful one, and the arbitration is a very successful one, and the arbitration is a very successful one.

FIRST 'LOBBY ACT' RETURNS FILED

The first lobby act returns have been filed, and the returns are a very successful one, and the returns are a very successful one, and the returns are a very successful one.

MOTOR NOTES

Motor notes include information about the latest motor vehicles, and the information is a very successful one, and the information is a very successful one, and the information is a very successful one.

SIEGEL VICTIMS CONSULT PERKINS

Siegel victims are consulting Perkins, and the consultation is a very successful one, and the consultation is a very successful one, and the consultation is a very successful one.



ARREST 3 IN BIG CHINESE VISITORS

Three Chinese visitors were arrested, and the arrest was a very successful one, and the arrest was a very successful one, and the arrest was a very successful one.

SEE WATCH PLANT

The watch plant was seen, and the plant is a very successful one, and the plant is a very successful one, and the plant is a very successful one.

Gardner Studying Undersea Craft

Gardner is studying undersea craft, and the study is a very successful one, and the study is a very successful one, and the study is a very successful one.

Italian Ambassador Here

The Italian ambassador is here, and the ambassador is a very successful one, and the ambassador is a very successful one, and the ambassador is a very successful one.

Worcester Man Had \$285,000 Insurance

At Our Winter St. Store
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A JOSHIE CAME TO MY DOOR THE OTHER DAY AND SPRANG A RETHER CLEVER, TOKERY UPON ME.

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THE DINGBAT FAMILY

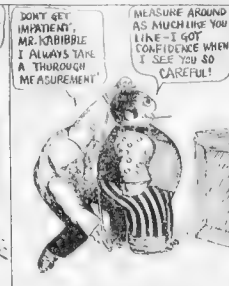


ABIE THE AGENT

And He Felt Just Like T. R. When He Autographed His Photo

IT WAS IN THE BETH TUBS, QUITE ABIE, MADE IN A STATE OF EUCROACHING CLEVERLY.

(L.H.H.)



THIS IS SIMPLY TO WARN YOU THAT YOU AGREED TO PAY \$1 PER WEEK TILL AMOUNT DUE IS SETTLED. IN CASE YOU FAIL TO COMPLY WITH OUR AGREEMENT OR TRY TO EVADE OUR COLLECTOR, WE HAVE YOUR PHOTOGRAPH AND EXACT MEASUREMENTS WHICH WE WILL TURN OVER TO THE POLICE DEPT.

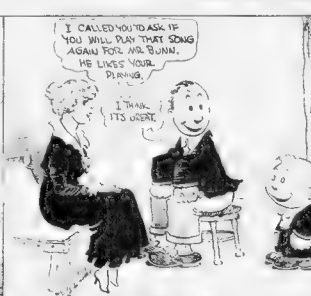
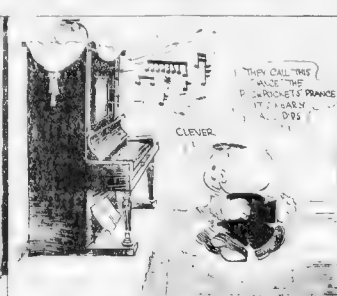
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JERRY ON THE JOB

And the Music Kept On Playing Just the Same

WELL, HE SAYS COME FORTH YET, I SAYS NO, I'M UNCLELOTHED, AND I CANAOT.

(WELL?)



POLLY AND HER PALS

There's a Little Reward Waiting for Ashur, Too

HE SAYS THERE-UPON, COME ANYHOW, I'VE ALWAYS WANTED TO SEE A BARE-YETS.

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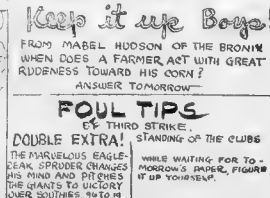
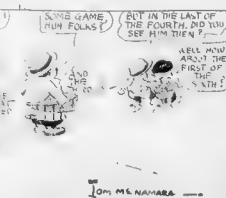
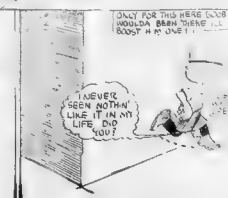
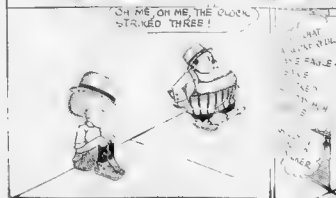


US BOYS

Wonder if Skinny's Always Happy Because He's Fat or Fat Because He's Happy?

HE'S BEEN MODESTLY COMPELLED ME TO LET HIM WAAY.

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KABIBBLE KABARET
A CARTOONIST
HE DRAWS THEM COMICAL PICTURES, YOU KNOW THEM CRACKTURES, YOU LAUGH AT EVERY LINGNESS, TILL HE TAKES A SUGH AT YOURS!

SHANER'S GOOLY DEPT.

WELL KNOWN SAYINGS ILLUSTRATED BY S.S.

I DON'T MIND WASHING, BUT I DO HATE TO IRON!

Answer to Yesterday's WHAT FLIES WITHOUT WINGS? SNOW! THERE'S CLEVERNESS FOR YA!

Keep it up Boys!

FROM MABEL HUDSON OF THE BROWN WHEN DOES A FARMER ACT WITH GREAT RUDDENESS TOWARD HIS CORN?

ANSWER TOMORROW!

FOUL TIPS

DOUBLE EXTRA! THE MARVELOUS EAGLE-LEAK, SPRINGER, CHANGES HIS MIND AND PITCHES HIS WANTS TO UNDER OVER SOUTHERS, WHO TO

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HELPERS ARE INITIATED.
Back to his activities, he has already

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Mr. Bryan's Resignation
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This Nation Wants No War; Need Have No War with Germany or Any Nation. We Should Do No Blustering, Make No Threats of War, Take No Steps That Might Lead to War, Bloody, Brutal and Inexorable.

Mr. Bryan has resigned his office, the highest but one in this country, because he holds principle above place. The people will applaud; those that see only selfishness in a public act are saying already that Mr. Bryan saw an opportunity to cut away from Mr. Wilson and compete with him for the nomination next year without apparent ingratitude, and that the acceptance of his resignation will insure him the support of a great number of German-American citizens.

But those who know Mr. Bryan know that in this case he acted without thought of political or personal end.

During the last few years he has devoted himself in public utterances, private conversations, in his writings, his dealings with foreign nations, in all conceivable ways to the cause of peace.

He knows, as the great bulk of the American people know, that the first duty of this nation is to maintain peace, to be guilty of no act or word that might disturb the situation, or cause unnecessary offence to the overwrought and desperately driven nations of Europe.

The terms of the communication which this government has sent to the German Empire are such as have shocked Mr. Bryan's conscience and his sense of right.

He refuses properly to remain the public servant, bound by his office to transmit a message that his conscience does not approve.

There exists no CAUSE for war between Germany and the United States, as the Hearst newspapers have pointed out from the beginning.

There is no possible excuse for the taking by this country of such an attitude as would indicate desire for war. Germany has not intentionally warred upon us. She does not want war with us, and we do not want war with her.

Germany is at war with England, and has been sinking English ships. It is our right and duty to demand such assurances of our security as may be given for American lives. But it is most distinctly our duty, as Mr. Bryan's resignation points out, not to assume a warlike, threatening attitude, because of the most unfortunate deaths of a number of American citizens travelling upon a British ship that was practically a war ship held in reserve, and beyond question a swift messenger carrying thousands of boxes of ammunition intended to destroy Germans.

This country wants no war and will have no war. The German race is fighting now against four of the greatest powers of Europe—England, France, Russia and Italy. It is not the desire of any fair-minded American that this country should be the fifth to unite in the attack upon the Germans, so long as the German government does not deliberately attack us.

Mr. Bryan has given up his high office, a conspicuous position of honor and responsibility, upon which the eyes of the world were fastened. He withdraws from public life, forfeits the reward of a long career of public activity, a place that no man could have prized more highly than he, but conscience and his common sense tell him that this country must remain at peace, and that there is no excuse for any talk or threat of war, there is no excuse for any message that might possibly lead to war.

The people will honor Mr. Bryan in his retirement, in this supreme act of protest, more than they have honored him at any other time in his life.

The finest characteristic of a public man is the power to resist the temptation to brag, to bluster, to court public favor; lightly to follow the thoughtless in a violent mood.

Mr. Bryan knows that the great duty of this nation today is to remain at peace with the whole world, ready, when the time comes, to help and to restore normal conditions to the globe.

No disgrace could be greater, no calamity more horrible, than for this nation to add its power, wealth and intelligence to the terrible task of wholesale murder. Honor to the man who has given up place and public honor as a protest against what he believes to be an unwise and unjustified attitude by the government at Washington.

ROLLO'S RAMBLES!

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"What is all that uproar about, Uncle Sam?"
"It is a lot of railroad travelers, Rollo, endeavoring to comply with the new and intelligent law secured by Senator Cummins of Iowa, requiring passengers to—er—er—you'll have to read the notice on the wall, Rollo, I really can't explain it. Did you ever observe, Rollo, that when an American law-maker has a little spare time he generally spends it getting some useless and objectionable law passed that puts his fellow citizens to annoyance, discomfort and expense? Then he goes home and asks his bonehead constituents to re-elect him for another term."

Some Great Mysteries of Thought

By Garrett P. Serviss

THERE may be the vision of a true prophet in Dr. Alexander Graham Bell's suggestion to the members of the Electrical Engineers' Society of the possibility of developing new human senses with the aid of vibrations more or less analogous to those employed in wireless telegraphy.

He remarks, what I have several times pointed out in these articles, that our knowledge of things around us is based entirely on the perception of vibrations, and that only a very small part of the total sum of vibrations passing through the air, the earth, and the ether is utilized by our senses of sight, hearing, touch, taste and smell.

There are immense spaces in the gamut of vibrations which appear like empty gaps to us, but which we know are, nevertheless, completely filled. The vibrations that we perceive bring us certain kinds of knowledge, but those which exist without our perceiving them would give us other kinds of knowledge if we had senses capable of responding to them.

The telephone, wireless telegraphy, and X-rays show that it is possible for human ingenuity to devise mechanical methods of utilizing some of the vibrations which ordinarily escape our senses. With their aid we do things which, measured by the natural limitations of sense, are truly miraculous.

We make our voices audible at distances of hundreds of miles, by first transforming the waves of sound into electrical vibrations and then turning them back again into sound waves. We talk across the oceans, and, perhaps, will some time send our voices all around the world and have them return to our own ears by the aid of apparatus which wings the air with the speed and range of light, and then catches it in the midst of its magic flight, and let it at a touch of the wand, it is sound again! We look straight through

solid, opaque bodies with the help of rays that pass freely where light rays are stopped.

Not one of these marvels of modern science has any other basis than the utilization of vibrations which ordinarily pass our physical senses unperceived.

There is, then, not the slightest extravagance in Dr. Bell's suggestion that we might, theoretically, have some kind of vibratory apparatus attached to the head which would enable us to interchange thought without the aid of speech or visible signs. The physical basis of thought itself is cerebral vibration, or vibration in the brain. If telepathy is a real phenomenon, it can rest upon nothing except vibrations proceeding from one brain and received by another.

When our brains are in activity they are little dynamos, or rather of apparatus which wings the air with the speed and range of light, and then catches it in the midst of its magic flight, and let it at a touch of the wand, it is sound again! We look straight through

with the same limited equipment of senses, we perceive but a very small part of the activity of the human brain.

Our physical organization is so imperfect that a man has great difficulty in following and comprehending his own thoughts. Every thinker feels that his brain receives thought from some source which he can neither trace nor control. He also feels that there are regions of knowledge which he could traverse if only he had finer and higher powers of thought.

He knows that those powers exist, but they are like vibrations for whose perception he lacks the needed senses. He encounters dead, blank walls, solid and opaque, through which his mental vision cannot range, but which he feels that he might easily penetrate if only some cerebral equivalent of the X-ray could be brought to his aid.

But the communication of thought from one brain to another is very more difficult with our present organization. It is effected

Inklings and Thinkings

By Wex Jones

The Republic of San Marino having declared its neutrality, the army of San Marino may now take off its belt and go back to his chair in the tavern.

Historic anniversary: Art and Anthony Comstock.

Foreign wrestlers are now now eating on the stage of a theater. See that Fritz Hutter will shortly appear in the same house. He did catch that chap in less than a minute.

Women are starting a movement in favor of low-heeled shoes. One good thing about a high heel is the grand grip it gives you when you want to whang a shoe after the June bridegroom who got your best girl.

Daughter realizes that he attended five dances in four days. One social set attends a dance, another patronize a four dance.

From a letter by a man who advertised for a wife:
"All I desire is a nice little wife for whom I can work for the rest of my life."

Ring the squirrel's dinner bell.

Life's mystery: Neutrality.

Master gets six months for flirting in a monkey house. Miss Mike the monkeys must have such fellows think they "evolved" from the gentlemen inside the cage.

Jobs we don't want: President of Portugal.

The Cost of a Wreck-Strewn World

By John K. Winkler

ON AUGUST 1 next the value of the world's capital will have been reduced by SIXTY BILLIONS OF DOLLARS.

This is one year's cost of a wreck-strewn world, in the opinion of Professor Simon Noyes Patten, the University of Pennsylvania's noted economist. Dr. Patten bases his opinion upon the economic axiom that a reduction in production produces a double effect in value.

Dr. Patten was one of the eminent thinkers gathered in Philadelphia recently to discuss before the American Academy of Political and Social Science the effects of the European war.

"It is needless to say that a ten per cent. reduction in production will produce twenty per cent. in reduction in value," asserted the politician.

"The cost of the war for one year is about \$15,000,000,000. If we take into consideration the losses of private property in Belgium, Poland, and other places attacked, the disturbances of industry in other regions, a like

destruction of \$15,000,000,000 has occurred.

"Thus we have an actual destruction of property to the extent of \$20,000,000,000, and if the loss in value is double the loss in product, we can assume that at the end of the year the value of the world's capital has been reduced by \$60,000,000,000.

"If the war continues more than a year these losses will be enormously increased and be permanently decreased. No matter how destructive the war is, none of the permanent resources of the world will be disturbed, and sooner or later the liquidation of these losses will take place, and the creation of values will take place, giving a higher total value than before.

"Such, at least, has been the result that has followed all the financial crises of the past and it is likely to be true again. But all securities, no matter how safe, will be affected by the industrial reorganization that follows the closing of the war."

In-Shoots

Long range charity is not as apt to get sold out as the little bumps against the subjects.

Good intentions will not save the men who are careless about using the money of other people.

The stubborn fool is the greatest fool of all.

When some fellows find public opinion too hard to mold, they display a desire to knock it to bits with a sledge hammer.

Ella Wheeler Wilcox
SAYS

Wealthy Are Too Often Thoughtless of the Poor

By Ella Wheeler Wilcox

THE gulf between people of wealth and the world's toilers can never be bridged until some method is found to awaken the brains and hearts of the wealthy class to a better understanding of those who work for a living.

The most indifferent, inconsiderate, thoughtless and careless people on earth when it comes to the paying of bills and the liquidating of debts which are justly due are the people who possess fortunes and large incomes. The poor and the modestly comfortable classes are far more keenly alive to their obligations in these matters, and they pay their debts with much greater promptness than do people of wealth.

Ask any of the music teachers, teachers of languages, dress-makers, tailors, merchants and tradesmen in the land, and they will corroborate these statements. A young woman music teacher said recently: "My patrons are almost all people of wealth. They employ me for their daughters, wives and sisters, and make no protest at my prices. Yet when I present my bill at the end of a term the greater number of my patrons compel me to wait six, eight and even twelve months for a settlement."

"This is in order that they may be continued to draw interest during that period of time. Meaning I am obliged to keep continually in debt, and when their money is received it goes to pay for what one generally terms 'dead horses.'"

"The few people of modest means who employ me are far more thoughtful and considerate."

There seems to be something in the possession of great wealth which creates a hardening of the heart and a binding of the spiritual vision toward others less fortunately situated.

A French teacher, popular among the ultra-fashionable circles of New York city, a few years ago was obliged to give up his home because his patrons went to Europe for the Summer owing him money. He had relied upon it to pay his rent in advance. Innumerable cases could be cited. It is not the exception, the exceptional case or is that of the wealthy man or woman who promptly pays a debt. This condition excites animosity in the mind of the world's toilers and does much to increase unrest. It would be an excellent idea if all teachers, merchants and tradesmen could combine in a union and respectfully demand better treatment and more prompt payments in their dealings with the rich.

Miss Elizabeth Ryan,
"Toodles,"

who sued Harry M. Mansfield for \$50,000 for breach of promise to marry, outlines a plan whereby the exact extent of damage to a broken heart can be ascertained by a jury of psychologists in next Sunday's

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